

## Clare Curran removed from New Zealand Cabinet

August 2018

On Friday 24 August New Zealand Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern announced the removal of Clare Curran from Cabinet, accepting Ms Curran's offer to resign following a second failure to properly declare a meeting.

Ms Curran will lose the following portfolios:

- Government Digital Services.
- Open Government.

Ms Curran will retain the following portfolios outside of Cabinet:

- Broadcasting, Communications and Digital Media.
- Associate ACC.

Government Digital Services will now be managed by Dr Megan Woods.

Delegated responsibilities in relation to Open Government will revert to Chris Hipkins, as Minister for State Services.

### Further information

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